

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**  
(Small Entity)

Docket No.  
840.052.203

In Re Application Of: Whitehouse

Application No. 09/901,428	Filing Date 07/09/2001	Examiner Nguyen, Kiet Tuan	Customer No 04617	Group Art Unit 2881	Confirmation No 8546
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Invention: Multiple Ion Guide

**COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:**

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 02/05/2009 in the above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

One month       Two months       Three months       Four months       Five months

from: 03/05/2009      *Date*      until: 04/05/2009      *Date*

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

The fee for the extension of time is \$65 and is to be paid as follows:

- A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No.
- If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No.
- Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached

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